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New Omicron strain SOPs likely today

CM, Health Minister hold a series of high-level meetings on the way forward

Bengaluru, Dec. 3 (KMS & BCT)- As Karnataka became the first State to report the first Omicron cases in India, the administrative machinery is on high alert and new Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) are likely to be announced.

A 66-year-old South African national, who arrived in Bengaluru via Dubai last month and a 46-year-old doctor at a private hospital in Bengaluru, with no travel history, are the first two cases of Omicron to be detected in India. The primary and the secondary contacts (24 primary and 240 secondary) of these two patients have been tested and kept under watch.

(See OMICRON on page 6)

City's renowned Dentist Dr. A.A. Kuttappa no more

Mysuru, Dec. 3- City's renowned Dentist Dr. Adengada A. Kuttappa (83), a resident of #223, 8th Cross, Gokulam 3rd Stage, passed away at his residence in the wee hours of today.

A native of Balele village in Kodagu, he leaves behind his wife Geetha Kuttappa, daughters Sangeetha, Rachana and Dr. Tharana (Dentist), sons-in-law, grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Fondly called as Shyam among Kodava circles, Dr. Kuttappa was the former President of Kodava Samaja, Mysuru, Kodava Students Association (KSA), Mysuru and former Chairman of Sree Cauvery Education Council, Kuvempunagar.

He practised dentistry for over 40 years at his clinic in K.R. Circle and had served as the President of All India Dentists Association.

An active Rotarian and a good public speaker, he had served as the President of Rotary Mysore and was the team leader of Rotary Group Study Exchange tour to the US.

Dr. A.A. Kuttappa

He was also a member of Mysore Sports Club.

Last rites were performed at Chirashanthidhama in Gokulam this evening, according to family sources.

Tribute

Turn to page-6 for tributes to Dr. A.A. Kuttappa: A people's dentist, a gentleman in his profession and also in social life.—**Ed**

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Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Friday 3rd December 2021

UK orders over 110 million vaccine doses enough for 2 years: PM

London, Dec. 3 (UNI/Sputnik)- The United Kingdom has secured over 110 million shots of Pfizer and Moderna vaccines against the Coronavirus to cover the immunisation efforts for two years, Prime Minister Boris Johnson said on Thursday.

"Today the UK has ordered 114 million more Pfizer and Moderna vaccines for the next two years, future proofing our lifesaving vaccine programme," Johnson tweeted.

The vaccines will be bound to modifications in line with possible new variants of the Coronavirus, he added.

The UK began a nationwide vaccination campaign in early December 2020. To date, some 76 percent of the country's population have received at least one dose of a vaccine against COVID-19, and some 69 percent have completed the vaccination course. In addition, some 27 percent of the population have been administered booster shots, according to the UK Government.

Number of worldwide administered doses surpasses 8 billion

Washington, Dec. 3 (UNI/ Sputnik) - The number of the worldwide administered doses of vaccines against the Coronavirus has surpassed 8 billion, Johns Hopkins University (JHU) said.

The total number of administered doses currently stands at 8,036,182,904. The World Health Organisation declared the COVID-19 outbreak a pandemic on March 11, 2020. To date, more than 263.41 million people have been infected with the Coronavirus worldwide, with over 5.22 million fatalities, according to JHU.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

KEEP UP THE JOSH: ***Just when I was beginning to think it was safe to go back into the water, there are 3 John Abrahams in*** *Satyameva Jayate 2,* ***and 50 odd mutations in the COVID variant B.1.1.529. And while the former will, at worst, fry some brain cells, the latter, now named Omicron like an evil secret society straight out of James Bond, is threatening to do things even worse, pushing back civilisation to the early 2020s. I do not know why I am beginning to think that this blasted Coronavirus is like the hyper-competitive kids I grew up in Kolkata with. Like if Alpha was the first to score nine hundred out of thousand in the board exams, Delta then tops it to nine hundred and ninety, and also does it without going to a single coaching class, and now Omicron is here, who is threatening to go thousand out of thousand, while being the captain of the school cricket team and the winner of the annual Rabindra Sangeet competition. Not that I understand much, but from what I have read, Omicron seems to be the perfect 'students of the year' in the school of viruses. It has properties that may make it even more viral than Gangnam style or hook itself persistently into your cells putting spammer to shame, and then if that was not enough, sufficient genetic modifications to evade, at least partially, the immune response of the body, in the way the heroine just had to put on a shirt and trousers and snap on a moustache, in old Hindi movies, to make the whole world believe she was a man.***

So what should we do? Exercise extreme caution. Put your mask back on. And another while you are at it. Shutting down entry from countries is of limited use, because like the serial killer in the movies, the call is coming from inside the house. And the bigger defence we have are the vaccines, and here I have to quote the song from *Amar Akbar Antony, "Ek, ek se bhale do, do se bhale teen."* ***I am cautiously optimistic that the vaccines will provide us enough "Josh" to keep us out of hospitals, and that science will eventually catch up with Omicron, just as most golden kids in school finally end up in career gridlock, trapped in middle management. Till then, stay safe.***— *Arnab Ray in The Times of India*

NEWS SPARKLERS

A Fur-free policy of Armani fashion house

Milan: Italian fashion house Armani on Wednesday announced that it would no longer use angora wool, a product made from rabbit hair, as part of its fur-free policy.

The company said it would no longer use the material across all of its lines from next year's fall-winter collection.

At Armani "the percentage of clothing items containing angora wool is very low and we plan to replace it with materials that meet higher criteria in terms of animal well-being," a group spokeswoman told AFP.

Soft and silky angora wool is a fibre made from the coats of angora rabbits.

The famous Fingerprint Island of Croatia

Baljenac: Located off the coast of Croatia, in the Adriatic Sea, Baljenac is a tiny island covered by a series of dry-stone walls that make it look like a giant fingerprint when seen from above.

The oval-shaped island of Baljenac is covered by a 23-kilometer-long network of dry-stone walls. The walls are only about waist high and designed solely to make agriculture easier in an inhospitable place.

The rocky terrain and strong winds aren't exactly ideal for plant cultivation, so the inhabitants of the nearby island of Kaprije built these stone walls to separate their crops and offer them some protection.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Get rid of excess belly fat

Excessive abdominal fat, or visceral fat, is a uniquely harmful type of fat distribution that is linked to an increased risk of cardiometabolic diseases like type 2 diabetes and heart disease. For this reason, your waist size and waist-to-hip ratio may be much stronger markers of health than your weight.

By Kavya J - Department of Nutrition & Dietetics

manipalhospitals LIFE'S ON

**** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature***

US Surgeon General urges parents to vaccinate kids

Dr. Vivek Murthy

Washington, Dec. 3 (UNI)- Dr. Vivek Murthy, the Indian-origin US Surgeon General, has urged parents world over to go for the COVID paediatric vaccine after his five-year-old son took the shot.

"Like so many parents, I was thrilled and relieved when my 5-year-old son got his #COVID19 vaccine last week. He was a little nervous when the time came but all smiles afterward. He's been proudly showing off his 'I'm vaccinated' sticker," the Surgeon tweeted.

"My wife and I are two of millions of parents who have been waiting all this time for the opportunity to protect our kids from COVID-19. Now, we finally have that chance. There are few things that feel better than knowing your child is more safe," he said in another tweet.

He said that the vaccine dose and the vaccine trials were specifically tailored for the kids.

"Studies showed it was >90 percent effective at protecting our kids from symptomatic COVID and there were no serious adverse events (strong safety profile)," he added.

Many countries have rolled out COVID vaccination for children.

REALLY...?

- ***The history of theatre in India dates back around 5,000 years and is steeped in culture and tradition.***
- ***The earliest contribution to the Indian theatre, dating between 2000 B.C.E. and the 4th century C.E., comes from Bharata Muni, who wrote 36 books of Natyashastra, which describes a theory of theatrical performance based on style and motion, rather than psychology.***
- ***Under British colonial rule, modern Indian theatre began when a theatre was started in Belgachia. One of the earliest plays composed and staged during this period was Buro Shalikher Ghaare Roa (1860) by Michael Madhusudan Dutt, both in Bengali.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Man: I haven't slept all night in the train. Friend: Why?
Man: i had an upper berth.
Friend: Why didn't you exchange it?
Man: There was nobody in the lower bunk to change it with!!

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 74.97
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 99.67
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 20.41
1 Euro	= Rs. 84.69

COVID-19 UPDATE - MYSURU

	DECEMBER 1	DECEMBER 2
Day's Positive Cases	47	19
Total Positive Cases	1,79,818	1,79,837
Day's Discharges	15	17
Total Discharges	1,77,109	1,77,126
Day's Deaths	0	0
Total Deaths	2,430	2,430
Total Active Cases	279	281

NOTE: Figures as per Government Media Bulletin

VOICE OF THE READER

Irregular power supply irks Yadavagiri residents

Sir,

I would like to inform you that the power supply in 2nd Main road, Yadavagiri, is very irregular and in fact there are days when it goes off and on for about ten to twelve times in a day.

Of course, the CESC staff are ready with some sort of reply to convince us. But, we are unable to understand how this perennial problem cannot be solved.

Hence I request the CESC authorities to look into this irregular power supply problem that is irking the residents in our area and set right the same.

—Srikantiah
Yadavagiri
28.11.2021

Dr. H.N. Dinesh is new MMC&RI Dean and Director

Mysuru, Dec.3 (RK&DM)- Dr. H.N. Dinesh, Head, Department of Surgery, MMC&RI (Mysuru Medical College and Research Institute), took over as the acting Dean & Director of MMC&RI, from outgoing Dean and Director Dr. C.P. Nanjaraj here yesterday. Dr. Dinesh took over following an order issued by the Secretary of Medical Education Department Naveenraj Singh.

Dr. C.P. Nanjaraj will, however, continue to serve MMC&RI as the Head of Department of Radiology.

Dr. H.N. Dinesh

Dr. Dinesh, a native of Channarayapatna in Hassan district, did his MBBS from Bangalore Medical College and M.S. (General Surgery) Degree from Mysore Medical College. He later did his Fellowship in Surgical Gastroenterology and Liver Transplant from BMC&RI.

He has served as President of Surgical Society of Mysore, Treasurer of MAA Trust, Executive Committee member of IMA Mysuru Chapter and Executive Committee member of Karnataka State Chapter of Association of Surgeons of India.

Rs. 1 lakh Govt. COVID relief order tweaked

Bengaluru, Dec. 3- The State Government that had announced a compensation of Rs. 1 lakh each to families that have lost adult members to COVID-19 has tweaked the rule to give compensation only to Below Poverty Line (BPL) families.

As many families were going through trying times following the death of earning members, the Government had announced the compensation and had included 'earning member' in the eligibility criteria. Now the 'earning member' in the clause has been modified and as per the new order, only BPL families are eligible for the compensation.

Government has removed age restriction to get the benefit and all the families below the poverty line who have lost a member to the killer disease are eligible for relief. The policy would cost the exchequer between Rs. 250 crore and Rs. 300 crore.

DSS to hold interaction on Dec.6

Mysuru, Dec.3- The Mysuru District Unit of DSS (Dalit Sangharsha Samiti) will be conducting an interaction on 'How effective is the Dalit counter movement in tackling Manuwadi challenges,' at Buddha Vihar near Ashoka Circle at 6.30 pm on Dec.6. The event is organised as part of Mahaparinirvan Diwas, which marks the death anniversary of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar.

Dr. H.D. Umashankar, a faculty of Government First Grade College, K.R. Pet, will inaugurate while DSS Convenor C. Umamahadeva will deliver keynote address. Interested can join Zoom meeting via *https://us05web.zoom.us/j/5167549795?pwd=WDhWQ1VjcGVnRktxYnM5bk55aVgydz09.*
Meeting ID: 516 754 9795. Passcode: DSS@MYSORE.

SWR Mysuru Division implements Total Fuel Management System

Mysuru, Dec. 3- The South Western Railway (SWR), Mysuru Division, has implemented Total Fuel Management (TFM) System from Dec.1, 2021 in Railway Consumer Depot (RCD) at Sakleshpur to refuel High-Speed Diesel (HSD) to Railway locomotives.

An MoU was signed between South Western Railway and Mangalore Refinery and Petrochemical Limited (MRPL) on Nov. 23, 2021.

At present, the Railway Consumer Depots (RCDs) monitor the use of fuel and expenditure of diesel manually which leaves scope for wastage as well as excess expenditure. TFM is a fully automated online fuel management system to check pilferage / wastage and bring transparency in fuel management.

With the commissioning of this, the real-time information about inventory of fuel, its receipt, issue, inspection and fuel tank calibration will facilitate better management decision and inventory control and will also save expenditure, fuel-related information including consumption and expenditure will be also known on a real-time basis.

The system envisages rationalisation of the fuelling pattern sourcing most of the fuel from States offering a lower price. Henceforth, MRPL will manage the entire operations of RCDs such as storing and disbursing of HSD, maintenance of pumps, pipeline and distribution valves, security and safety of stored HSD stock bringing more professionalism in fuel management.

Conference on "HR Dasara - An insight to Mysuru Industrial Prosperity" held

Mysuru, Dec.3- A one-day industry and culture conference "HR Dasara - An insight to Mysuru Industrial Prosperity" was held recently at Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Institute for Management Development (SDM-IMD), Mysuru.

The conference, organised by Edin Bridge Foundation, Mysuru and SDM- IMD in association with Excelsoft Technologies, Mysuru, was inaugurated by Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha in the presence of Dr. N.R Parasuraman, Director & Professor - Finance, SDM-IMD and D. Sudhanva, Co-founder & CEO, Excelsoft Technologies.

The conference focused on industrial development and overall growth of Mysuru, ongoing and upcoming industrial projects, challenges faced by industries and growth potential of Mysuru. It emphasised economic development of Mysuru, contribution of various sectors to GDP and new job opportunities.

Speaking on the history of Mysuru industrial development, Pratap Simha said Mysuru was a highly industrialised State under Wadiyars. They never concentrated on one city for industries. They set up industries in Mysuru, Mandya, Nanjangud, Bengaluru, Shivamogga, etc.

The contribution of Wadiyars to the erstwhile Mysore State was immense. The hydel power project at Shimsha in the early 1900s, Mysore Lamps factory, Sandalwood oil factory, Mysore Paints and Varnishes and Ideal Jawa are some of the major industries which were established during Wadiyars' regime.

The MP also spoke on the status of some of the ongoing industrial development projects like the 10-lane Bengaluru-Mysuru Economic Corridor project of Rs.8,172 crore which will reduce travel time between the two cities from three hours to just 90 minutes and the Multi-Modal Logistic Park (MMLP) which is coming up at Kadakola near Nanjangud in 61 acres of land which will have a cold storage unit, state-of-the-art first-of-its-kind in Karnataka warehouses, two Railway lines — loading line and engine escape line, facility for Customs clearances for export and import cargo, hi-tech signaling and telecommunication units, CC Block Pavement, administrative block, connecting roads and drainages, pump house, rainwater harvesting units and a host of other features needed for shipping and receiving goods.

The conference concluded with a special session on start-ups and how Mysuru can become the next IT hub of India by D. Sudhanva, CEO, Excelsoft.

The cultural programme included classical dance by VVCE students, a musical concert from Ashutosh Jamadagni and a musical tribute to actor late Puneeth Rajkumar by Swaroop Ramesh and Puneeth Kumar.

The dignitaries present were R.K. Parthasarathy, Joint Director of Factories, Mysuru Region; Dr. B.M. Prakash, Environmental Officer, KSPCB, Mysuru; Dr. S.N. Prasad, Deputy Director and Professor, SDM-IMD; S. Ramesh Shankar, Chief Joy Officer, Hrishti, Bengaluru; Chayaa Nanjappa, Founder & Managing Partner, Nectar Fresh, Mandya; Harish Machia Kodandera, Past Chairman, NIPM Mysuru Chapter; H.S. Shama Sundar, Managing Director, Uthkrusht Koushalya Foundation, Bengaluru; Rajesh Kutnikar, CEO, IT Champs, Mysuru; S. Ramachandra Raje Urs, Vice-President, Unilog, Mysuru; C.V. Srinivasan, Vice-Chairman, NIPM Mysuru Chapter; J. Purushotham, President, Karnataka Industries Management Association (KindMass), Bengaluru; Dr. M. Shivakumar, Principal & Professor, GSSSIETW, Mysuru; J. Prashanth, President, KATKHI Industrial Association, Nanjangud.

About 200 delegates comprising Industrialists, Business Leaders, CEOs, CHROs, HR Professionals, Management Academicians and Students attend the conference.

NEWS BRIEFS

Mahaparinirvan Diwas

The District Administration has organised an event to mark the 65th Mahaparinirvan Diwas of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar on Dec. 6 at 9.30 am. Floral tributes will be offered to Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's statue in the Town Hall, according to a press release from the DC who is also the National Festivals Celebration Committee President.

Free heart check-up

A free heart check-up camp for journalists has been organised by Mysuru District Journalists Association (MDJA) at Jayadeva Hospital on KRS Road from 9 am onwards on Dec. 11. Journalists are requested to make use of the camp, according to a press release from MDJA Secretary M. Subramanya.

Date extended

The last date to submit applications for admissions to Sixth standard at Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya (JNV) for the year 2022-23 has been extended to Dec.15. Entrance exam will be held on April 30, 2022. Candidates may apply online through website: www.navodaya.gov.in. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2970040.

Swimming champion

Sundaram Basappa has secured second place in 50mt Freestyle Swimming at the 17th National Masters Swimming Championship-2021, organised at St. Aloysius College Swimming Pool in Mangaluru recently.

This senior couple found love again

Melukote, Dec. 3 (BCT)- Marriage is a beautiful and sacred institution. But it is marred by the wrong selection of partners, exaggerated expectations between spouses, adjustment problems, low tolerance levels and the failure to understand limitations of marriage.

While there are many who part ways due to lack of compatibility, there are many who wait for years to get that perfect match like this 65-year-old man who has finally found the bride of his choice, the woman he dearly loved 35 years ago but was unable to marry. He has proved that love can come to anyone, regardless of age.

With the help of relatives, they came to Melukote and tied the knot in the presence of Sreenivasa Narasimhan Guruji of Yathirajadasa Gurupeeta. "Many people feel the desire to get married in their later years of life and they have the right to do so. But societal pressures prevent them from taking this step. Our marriage must be honoured and no one should insult us," the couple said before leaving for their home.

Their marriage has crossed the age limits and what matters now is only love and companionship. The couple has taught many in this generation a valuable lesson that physical relationship is not all that relevant in a marriage. The groom in this case is Chikkanna, who had come to Mysuru from Holenarasipura in Hassan 35 years back. He used to work as a labourer and do odd jobs for a living.

He fell in love with his aunt's daughter Jayamma and it was a perfect pair as Jayamma too liked Chikkanna. Jayamma's family, however, opposed the relationship and got her married to another boy who had a better social standing and was well-to-do when compared to Chikkanna.

The marriage was solemnised against Jayamma's wishes while Chikkanna remained a bachelor as he was unable to forget his first love. Though Jayamma's family life began cordially, her husband left her after some time and she had to live alone, without having anyone to talk to and to be cared for.

Years passed by and Chikkanna happened to meet Jayamma some time back and the old love blossomed again. Chikkanna had remained a bachelor and this had impressed Jayamma. Both of them decided to get married and start a new life. They decided to let bygones be bygones.

Lover's death: Youth commits suicide near grave

Srirangapatna, Dec. 3 (KS)- Depressed over the death of the girl he was in love, a youth committed suicide by immolating himself near her grave in the taluk.

The deceased youth is Chandan (21), a resident of Balamuri Road at Belagola village in the taluk.

It is learnt that the girl had reportedly ended her life three days ago. Deeply saddened and depressed over her death, Chandan, who went on his scooter to the place where the last rites of the girl were conducted, poured petrol on him and set himself ablaze. Before committing suicide, Chandan, has written a death note stating that he was unable to live without her and has held himself responsible for his death.

Meanwhile, public who saw the body of Chandan informed the Police. KRS Sub-Inspector Lingaraju, Circle Inspector Yogesh and staff visited the spot and have seized the mobile phone and the two-wheeler that were found at the spot. Based on the complaint from Chandan's relative, the Police have registered a case and are investigating.

Unidentified man dies in hospital

Mysuru, Dec. 3 (KS)- An unidentified man, who was found lying sick near J.C. Nagar Bus Stand on Nov. 26 at about 8 pm by the staff of 108 Ambulance and admitted to K.R. Hospital, has breathed his last on Nov. 29 at the Hospital.

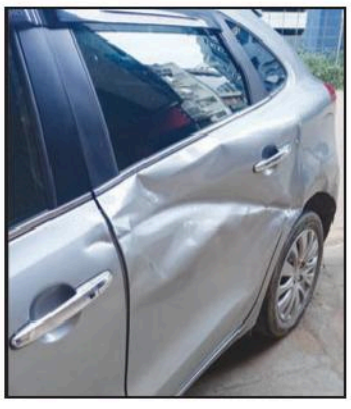
The deceased, who is aged about 48 years, is 5.5 ft. tall, dark complexioned, lean built, oval faced and has a mole on the middle of his chest.

The kith and kin of the deceased, if any, may contact Nazarbad Police Station on Ph: 2418308/508 or call Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339.

Wild elephant attacks car

Madikeri, Dec. 3- Five occupants of a car including three children had a miraculous escape when a wild elephant attacked their car near Aane Kaadu.

The couple and their three children were on their way to Madikeri and when they were proceeding near Aane Kaadu at about 8 pm yesterday, an elephant attacked and tried to overturn the car. But the person behind the wheels of the car drove the car fast and escaped.



The car has been damaged as the elephant had rammed into it.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM

Maximum	:	124.80 feet
Today	:	124.66 feet
Yesterday	:	124.64 feet
Inflow	:	5,966 cusecs
Outflow	:	5,434 cusecs

KABINI DAM

Maximum	:	2,284.00 feet
Today	:	2,283.66 feet
Inflow	:	1,707 cusecs
Outflow	:	1,400 cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	2,859.00 feet
Today	:	2,856.64 feet
Inflow	:	191 cusecs
Outflow	:	1,066 cusecs

Obituary

Chikkaiah

Mysuru, Dec. 3- Chikkaiah (Muddanna), a resident of Vidyaranyapuram, passed away on Wednesday in city. He was 86.

He leaves behind son Shantharaju, daughters Jayalakshmi, Vijayalakshmi, Manjula and Savithri, 11 grandchildren including Sir M. Visveswaraya Plumbing and Drainage Workers Welfare Association Vice-President Suresh Kumar, great grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were held at the foot of Chamundi Hill yesterday afternoon.

E.C. Jeevan

Virajpet: E.C. Jeevan (62), former Virajpet Town Panchayat President and presently serving as a Member, passed away yesterday evening at the Government Hospital in the town.

He had also served as the President of Malayali Samaja and Sri Muthappa Temple at Meenupete.

He leaves behind his wife, one son, one daughter and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at the Hindu Burial Grounds on Malabar Road this afternoon, according to family sources.

Firing on tribal at Nagarahole Tiger Reserve

Staff fired at sandalwood smugglers: Forest Dept.

Hunsur/Mysuru, Dec. 3 (KK&KS)- In a twist to the controversy over forest guards opening fire on a tribal in the Hunsur wildlife range of Nagarahole Tiger Reserve in Periyapatna, the Forest Department has clarified that the firing was opened at poachers and this incident has been falsely projected as the Department had fired at innocent tribals.

The incident took place near Rangigate hamlet on Wednesday and the tribal has been identified as 37-year-old Basava, who is undergoing treatment at K.R. Hospital in Mysuru. Adivasis and their leaders have claimed that the Forest Department was trying to fix Basava on false charges.

Reacting to the allegation, the Forest Department has issued a clarification into the incident this morning and stated that the Forest staff had gone to Doddaharave Reserve Forest area following information that three persons had chopped sandalwood trees and were smuggling the same.

When the Forest staff cornered the trio, the smugglers attacked them and the staff had opened fire for self-defence. The bullet hit Basava leaving him injured and was admitted to the hospital by the Department staff, the clarification stated. Two more smugglers Dilip and Satish fled the spot.

Following the incident, the tribals and their leaders booked a case at Bylakuppe Police Station where Forest Watcher Subramani and three others were booked. The complaint alleged that the staff had opened fire at Basava who had gone to the field to attend nature's call.

Meanwhile, Mahesh Kumar, Director, Nagarahole Tiger Reserve said Basava was part of a sandalwood smuggling gang and the hunt was to nab the others. The guards opened fire in self-defence as they had come under attack and were hospitalised at Kushalnagar but discharged later.

"In this part of the forest, they frequently indulge in smuggling and till now they had gone scot-free but now they have been caught red-handed. Let the Police investigate and reveal the truth," he added.

Trust demands fair probe

Mysuru, Dec. 3 (PM&KS)- Alleging that the Forest staff had opened fire on Jenu Kuruba tribal youth Basappa, Green India Trust Project Director Dr. Mahendra Kumar has urged the Police to register an FIR and conduct a thorough probe.

Addressing a press meet at Pathrakarthara Bhavan here yesterday, Dr. Mahendra Kumar said that after opening fire on Basava, the Forest Department has accused Basava of smuggling sandalwood. They later submitted a memorandum to the Superintendent of Police.

Basava's wife Pushpa had filed a counter complaint with the Police but the cops have not registered the FIR, he alleged. Pointing out that whoever is guilty should be punished as per law, he said that the Police should register the FIR

The Trust and some adivasis led by Jede Jayappa claimed that the Forest Department was trying to fix Basava on false charges. Claiming that he was an eyewitness to the incident, Jayappa said Basava had gone to an adjoining field to answer the call of nature but was shot by forest guards at around 10.30 am without any reason.

"The forest guards brought a few gunny bags with sandalwood logs and kept it at the spot where the shooting took place and painted a picture that Basava was caught red-handed in the act," alleged Jayappa.

Both the Trust and Jayappa blamed Forest Department's watchman Subramani, Guards Manjunath, Sidda and Mahesh for the incident.

He warned of filing a Court case if the Police do not register FIR for the complaint lodged by Basava's wife.

Supporting the cause, Kannada actor Chetan too arrived in Mysuru and spoke to reporters against the firing.

Vaccine certificates even without jab !

People irked; officials say all complaints are being checked

Mysuru, Dec. 3 (GA&BCT)- At a time when the country is grappling to counter the imminent threat of the Omicron variant of COVID-19 and largely unfulfilled vaccination targets, a bizarre scenario is being witnessed. Many people in Mysuru are receiving vaccination certificates without getting the jab at all.

Take for instance Arun Maurya, a resident of the city. On Nov. 24, he received an SMS on his registered number stating that his mother Pushpa Devi and he (Arun Maurya) have completed their second dose of vaccination.

"In fact, both of us have not taken the second dose. Immediately I sent an email to Deputy Commissioner Dr. Bagadi Gautham and Additional DC B.S. Manjunathaswamy regarding the same as I thought it might have been a technical issue. But I have not received any reply," Arun told *Star of Mysore*.

Following the SMS, Arun checked the Aarogya Setu app and to his astonishment, he was able to download the vaccination certificates of his mother and himself without getting jabbed.

"As per the SMS and certificates, we got jabbed on 24th Nov 2021 at 4:14 pm and 4:17 pm at UPHC Nachanahalli Palya 18-44, Mysore by C. Sowmya," Arun said.

Reacting on the issue, DC Dr. Bagadi Gautham said that the email sent by Arun has been forwarded to MCC Commissioner for verification. "E-mails are not replied to immediately. They are sent to subordinate officers for necessary action as per law," he stated.

Arun is not the only case. Karthik and Deepu, both brothers, who had been to the Primary Health Centre (PHC) on Chamaraja Double Road yesterday, were turned away by the people manning the centre as they have already completed their vaccination schedule, But the fact is that they have received only the first dose and had been there for their second jab after completing the 84-day gap.

"We showed them the first dose certificate and produced the same registered mobile numbers. The staff at the PHC showed us the COWIN website where our names figure under the completed vaccine list and said we have been vaccinated at Kuvempunagar PHC on Nov. 21. They told us that as our names and mobile numbers are already there on the website, we cannot receive the second dose. We returned home without the second dose," the brothers told *SOM*.

Official version

Officials however claimed that the certificates were generated by the CoWIN portal and they did not have a role in it. According to the guidelines issued by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW), a photo ID proof of the applicant is mandatory during the time of registration for a COVID vaccine.

This needs to be verified at the vaccination centre. Once a dose is administered, the beneficiary receives an SMS on his/her registered mobile number. Then, a QR code-based certificate is sent to the same mobile number.

The CoWIN app is the arterial system through which the entire process of vaccination is completed. It has this large database where everything related to vaccination is maintained.

"I don't disagree that mistakes cannot happen. Some people would have changed their mobile numbers between the gap from the first and second dose. But all of us at our end are trying our best to make sure the correct data are entered into the system. However, since it is a website, technical glitches are very likely and we are examining them," said District Health Officer Dr. K.H. Prasad.

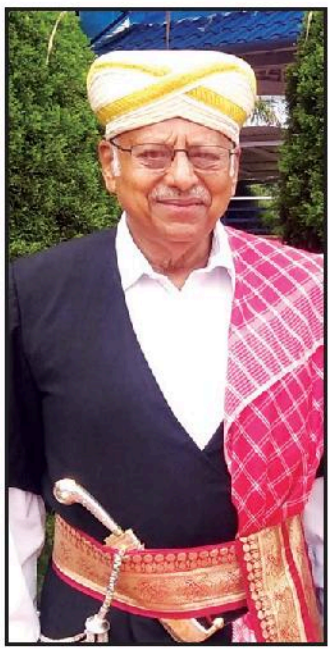
Tributes to Dr. A. A. Kuttappa

A people's dentist

By J. Ganesh Ayanna

Dr. Adengada A. Kuttappa, who passed away early this morning at his residence, was one of the most jovial and exemplary Dentists of our city for the past over 40 years. Past President of Mysore Kodava Samaja, Dr. Kuttappa was a man genuinely concerned about Kodavas and very helpful too. He led the Kodava Samaja during his tenure smoothly without controversies. He was a good listener to ideas and suggestions from others. I was blessed to work closely with him during his tenure as the President of Mysore Kodava Samaja, when I organised a mega Fund Raising event by Fashion Guru Prasad Bidappa during 2000 at Kaynes Resorts.

This was the largest ever fund raiser organised by Mysore Kodava Samaja to date which finally culminated in Mysore Kodava Samaja making a clear profit of approximately Rs. 20 lakh those days. Dr. Kuttappa had total faith in me and had given the full responsibility of organising this event and completing it successfully. He was a leader who had the ability to identify those with talent, nurture and encourage them for the common good of the community. Dr. Kuttappa ensured that he was present



Dr. A. A. Kuttappa

in almost all functions of Kodavas both during celebrations or mourning.

Dr. Kuttappa made his mark in Rotary Mysore too and was very popular in Rotary circles. Dr. Kuttappa was a good speaker who added colour and poise to any event he addressed. His pun and humour was of a very trademark style. He could carry the gathering very well by his impish sense of humour which Mysore and especially the Kodavas are going to miss immensely.

As for his professional side, he was a Doyen among the Dentists in Mysore who was probably among the first to establish his Dental Clinic at K.R. Circle during late 60s. Of course, he was a highly sought after dentist and during his heydays, was a dentist of such fame and repute that it was not easy to get an appointment with him.

Dr. Kuttappa was very jovial and bore a pleasing personality and demeanour. The minute a patient sat on his dental chair he would make him or her forget the impending treatment in store by the power of his sheer humour and jokes that he would crack during the treatment.

He knew the art and style of ensuring his patients forgot the pain during the course of treatment. That was unique only to Dr. Kuttappa's Dental Clinic. Now it is more than a decade since Dr. Kuttappa retired from being a practicing dentist but many of us, his regular clients, remember him and his dental chair. Above all, the great humour and conversation thrown in as a fringe benefit of visiting his clinic.

May his soul attain *moksha* is my prayers for him. The front chair which he used to occupy in almost all functions at Mysore Kodava Samaja shall forever remain empty will be a reminder to us about his eternal absence. RIP dear friend Shyam. Personally, it is a great loss to me that my dear friend Shyam is no longer with us.

A gentleman in his profession & social life

By K.B. Ganapathy

Dr. A.A. Kuttappa, who passed away early this morning, was known in city since late 1960s as Dentist Kuttappa. Those were the days when there were not many privately practicing dentists. Most of the dental patients would go to K.R. Hospital.

He was indeed lucky to have got a place for his Dental Clinic on the second floor of the Visvesvaraya (crescent shaped) building at the vantage point of the downtown area, the K.R. Circle. Those days and even now K.R. Circle is the nodal point of the city's business area.

I had once visited his clinic when I had come to Mysore on leave from Bombay, where I was working in *The Indian Express.* It was just to say hello to an old collegemate of Madikeri, Kodagu. Naturally, he was surprised to see me as much as I was surprised to see him in his doctor's gear, immaculately dressed complete with a long white gown of a coat, a doctor's mask with his eyes popping out of a pair of specs and a receding pate. But before we met, I had to wait for a while in the outer room, as he was busy. The walls were embellished with photos and quotes that would bring a smirk on your face. For example: *You kill time here while I kill pain inside.* The waiting area bespoke the personality and character of the person who ran the place — Dr. A.A. Kuttappa. So neat, clean, magazines to leaf-through and absolute silence. A place for everything and everything in its place, seemed to be a credo of the doctor.

He was an active member of the Rotary and also of Kodava Samaja, an organisation of his community in Mysore and served both the organisations well. He was much sought after in Rotary either to introduce a guest or propose a vote of thanks for he was a man of profound and impish sense of humour though spoke haltingly. A Rotarian among Rotarians and a Kodava among Kodavas. What are his legacies?

I guess it was his sense of being a gentleman in his profession and also in his social life. As a Rotarian, he followed the rules and regulations always. Punctuality, attendance, giving donations and dress as per the norm prescribed. The same can be said of him in his observations of Kodava dress, customs and practices — worth emulating for the new generation of both dentists in private practice and Kodavas of Kodagu and the diaspora. RIP my friend Shyam▪

City student for IndiaSkills Competition-2021

Mysuru, Dec. 3- **R. Raju,** an ITI Fashion Design & Technology trainee at Queens School of Design, Kuvempunagar, will be representing Karnataka from South Zone in the Skill-Fashion Technology at IndiaSkills Competition - 2021, being held at Vishakapatnam, Andhra Pradesh from Dec. 1 to 4. Son of Rame Gowda and Puttananjamma, he is a resident of T.Narasipur Taluk.

Resident Doctors stir enters fifth day

Mysuru, Dec.3 (RK&DM)- The indefinite strike launched by Resident Doctors attached to MMC&RI in K. R. Hospital premises seeking fulfilment of their demands, entered the fifth day today.

Urging the Government for payment of COVID risk allowance, restructure of academic fees according to 2018-19 year and timely payment of stipend to Post-Graduates and Interns, among others, the Resident Doctors, under the aegis of Karnataka Association of Resident Doctors (KARD), had launched their indefinite stir on Nov.29, the third one in over a month.

But as the Government has been unresponsive to their demands so far, they have continued their stir for the fifth straight day today. The resident doctors had first launched the stir in Oct. 2021 and again on Nov. 9, which was called off five days later then following an assurance from the Government on fulfilment of their demands.

New Omicron strain SOPs likely today

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Both were fully vaccinated before testing positive and displayed only mild symptoms. But the presence of Omicron in a person with no travel history has resulted in officials and experts warning of the "possible presence" of the new variant among others in Bengaluru.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai who was in New Delhi was scheduled to chair a high-level meeting at 1 pm today to discuss the measures to be taken in the light of the two Omicron cases.

This apart, Health and Family Welfare Minister Dr. K. Sudhakar too is holding a series of meetings with officers, doctors and healthcare experts. He is consulting deans and medical superintendents of Government Medical Colleges to work out the way ahead. Several clusters of students testing positive have been reported from the State.

"We are conducting contact tracing. I will be holding a meeting with health experts at 1 pm today. I have spoken to Union Health Minister Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya, he will get back to me with some guidelines," the CM told reporters today as he arrived at the Kempegowda International Airport this morning from New Delhi.

New SOPs are likely to be announced after the CM's meeting with the experts. However, it is unlikely that there will be any lockdown as the CM earlier ruled out the possibility of imposing any lockdown. "There is no question of imposing a lockdown now as it will hit economic activities. Normal life should go on and some restrictions including 100 percent mask wearing and social distancing will be back," sources said.

Minister Dr. Sudhakar yesterday said there is no need to panic over Omicron as surveillance is going on. "People can carry on with their day-to-day activities with strict adherence to COVID appropriate behaviour," he tweeted.

While early indications have suggested the heavily-mutated Omicron may be markedly more contagious than previous variants, there has been no evidence of the strain any deadlier.

Experts have observed low CT (cycle threshold) value in these cases and that is why samples of all international travellers testing positive with low CT value are being sent for genome sequencing. The CT value emerges in RT-PCR tests for the Coronavirus, and determines whether a person is positive for COVID-19 or not.

"How it (Omicron) spreads, we can't say as of now, but there is no need to worry as all the six cases identified so far don't have any major health issues. We have seen the Delta variant, it had intensity, more issues like breathing, such things have not been noticed so far. Symptoms here are mild," Dr. Sudhakar said.

MDJA interaction: MLC poll candidates rain promises for development of Gram Panchayats

Mysuru, Dec.3 (MTY&DM)- The interaction meet with media persons organised by Mysuru District Journalists Association (MDJA) at Pathrakarthara Bhavan on Thyagaraja road in the city this morning, saw the candidates of all the four parties for the polls to the dual-member Mysuru-Chamarajanagar seat from Local Authorities Consituency — BJP, Congress, JD (S) and Kannada Chaluvali Paksha — promising more funds for Gram Panchayats and a hike in honorarium for its members, who form a majority of the electorate in this poll.

The interaction was held a week ahead of the polls to take place on Dec.10.

Raghu R. Kautilya of BJP

The ruling BJP candidate Raghu R. Kautilya said that he has been in politics since the days of Gokak movement four decades ago, as a teenager then. Asserting that he would continue the good work of Prime Minister Narendra Modi and former Chief Minister B.S. Yediyurappa, he said that his main focus would be empowerment of Gram Panchayats (GPs), which are the roots of democracy.

Assuring that he would strive for Rs.10,000 monthly honorarium for every GP member, he contended that no MLC who was elected in the past from this Constituency, had raised their voice in the Legislature for the cause of Gram Panchayats and its members.

Maintaining that he would be most vocal for the development of GPs, he announced that he has the concept of 'Nanna Ooru Namma Udyoga', which envisages setting up of Skill training centres in every GP.

Asserting that such centres would largely help in checking migration of rural youths to urban areas in search of jobs or livelihoods, he re-iterated that he was totally committed for protecting the interests of GP members. Raghu also promised free bus pass, mobile phones, subsidised two-wheelers, health and life insurance cover for all GP members.

Highlighting the achievements of the BJP Governments at the Centre and the State, he said that he will strive for getting more funds under contingency plans for executing infrastructure works in all GP limits.

Dr. D. Thimmaiah of Congress

Dr. D. Thimmaiah of the Congress, who was the first to interact, said that he had served the Health Department in various capacities for 32 years. Noting that he joined politics post his retirement over 15 years ago in order to serve the people more, he said that he was greatly inspired by the works and welfare measures of Siddharamaiah, who headed the Congress Government earlier.

Listing the achievement of Siddharmaiah, he said that schemes such as *Anna Bhagya, Ksheera Bhagya* etc., establishment of schools and colleges, construction of a cluster of Hospitals on KRS Road and construction of the new DC's Office complex in the city, are all the works of the Congress Government, which nobody can deny. He further said, if elected, he would honestly work for further empowerment of Gram Panchayats, which form the root of our democratic system.

Pointing out that the dual-member Mysuru-Chamarajanagar seat has an electoral strength of about 6,600 voters, he asserted that he was very much hopeful of winning in the first round itself as over 4,000 of Gram Panchayat members were elected with Congress support.

C.N. Manjegowda of JD(S)

JD (S) candidate C.N.Manjegowda said that as the President of Srirampura Gram Panchayat earlier, he had turned the GP into a model one. Highlighting his achievements as a GP Member and President, he said that his primary focus would be to bring more Government funds to all GPs under a special plan.

Arguing that there is discrimination in sanction of grants for GPs, Manjegowda said, while GPs close to cities and towns, were getting more funds, those in the hinterland and interior parts are getting less funds. Assuring to end this discrimination, he said that he would exert pressure on the Government to release Rs.10 lakh per year for every GP member for carrying out developmental works. Stating that he is an ex-serviceman guarding the country's borders, Manjegowda said that he would safeguard the inte-rests of GPs and members, just as he did for the country as an ex-serviceman.

Vatal Nagaraj of Kannada Chaluvali Paksha

Vatal Nagaraj of Kannada Chaluvali Paksha, said that he first become an MLA when S. Nijalingappa was the Chief Minster in the 1960's. Maintianing that he has seen many Chief Ministers since the times of S. Nijalingappa, Kengal Hanumanthayya, Kadidal Manjappa, K.C.Reddy and D. Devaraj Urs, he said that he was a five-time Legislator. Noting that he was successful in only five out of the over 15 polls that he has contested so far, he said that he did not abstain from any Legislature session even for a single day when he was an MLA.

"The late writer Patil Puttappa often used to say that any Legislature would lose its sheen in the absence of Vatal Nagaraj", he said.

Contending that the honorarium being paid to GP members is very low, he promised that he would fight till the Government announces a monthly honorarium of atleast Rs.5,000. Regretting the influence of money and muscle power in polls, he said that he has made a pledge not to bribe the voters. He asked his three fellow contestants who attended the interaction, to make a pledge that they would not bribe the electorate.

Dismissing Vatal Nagaraj's suggestion and refusing to make the pledge, the three other candidates said that the voters are not for sale and asserted that they are on a positive campaign, seeking votes on development and welfare issues.

MDJA President S.T. Ravikumar and General SecretaryM. Subramanya were present during the interaction.

Obituary

Joseph George

Mysuru, Dec. 3 - Joseph George (64), a resident of Kuvempunagar, passed away this morning in city. He leaves behind his wife, two sons and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral mass will be held tomorrow (Dec. 4) at St. Theresa Church, near Silk Factory (Mysuru South) at 3 pm, according to family sources.

Mohsin A. Kareem Sait

Alijanab Mohsin A. Kareem Sait (85), President of Cutchi Memon Jamath on Ashoka Road and a resident of N.R. Mohalla, passed away yesterday in city. He leaves behind four sons, one daughter and a host of relatives and friends. Namaz-e-Janaza was held yesterday at Masjid-e-Mubeen in N.R. Mohalla after ISHA prayers followed by the burial at the Muslim Burial Grounds near Tipu Circle, according to family sources.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **intends** to purchase the schedule property from its present owner **Sri. Mahesha M S/o Late Mahadeva** residing at no 1031 T N Pura road Sardhar Vallaba patel nagar Police layout 2nd stage Alana halli post Mysuru - 570028, happens to be the bonafide absolute owner of the property having secured through registered sale deed dated 08-01-2021 and the same is registered as Document no MYE-1-08763-2020-21 in CD no MYED 620 of book no 1 executed by Sri Manjunatha.

So, if any person/s ascertaining any kind of rights, title, interest, claim or whatsoever in the schedule property or any part there of in any manner holding any claims against the schedule property are having secured attachment from courts or intends to object for sale in favour of my client on any legal grounds or by holding the any kind of agreement or claim of partition, minor interest etc. etc. or holding any first charge are hereby notified to submit their objections along with documents to the undersigned within 15 days of the issuance of this public notice with all documentary proof.

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International Marathoner Arun Bhardwaj arriving in city this evening

Mysuru, Dec. 3- Arun Bhardwaj, International Marathoner and the first Indian to complete Kashmir to Kanyakumari by foot run, who has now embarked on a **Bengaluru-Mysuru-Bengaluru Inspirational Run,** will be arriving in city this evening.

Bhardwaj, who left Bengaluru yesterday (Dec.2) at 7 am, passed through Kengeri, Ramanagara, Channapatna, Maddur, Mandya and Srirangapatna to reach Mysuru this evening.

He will arrive at Kote Anjaneyaswamy temple at the Palace North Gate at around 5 pm, where he will be accorded a warm welcome by Mitra Foundation and Vision Team of Mysuru.

Bhardwaj, who will stay for the night in the city, will leave for Bengaluru on his return run tomorrow (Dec.4) morning but via a different route.

Arun Bhardwaj

Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha and Cauvery Heart and Multispeciality Hospital Chairman Dr. G. R. Chandrashekar will flag off the run from Kote Anjaneyaswamy temple. On his return run, Arun Bhardwaj will pass through Bannur, Malavalli and Kanakapura to reach Bengaluru. Run finale will be held at the Glass House in Lal Bagh at 4.30 pm on Dec. 5.

For more details, call Mob: 89703-06066 or 90080-30009.

Calling Ashraya site owners of K.R. Constituency

Mysuru, Dec.3 - The beneficiaries of Ashraya sites from K.R. Constituency, who were sanctioned sites under Ashraya scheme in Gorur 8th Block in 2003-04, were asked on Aug.13, 2021 to furnish all the challans, records or documents they were in possession of in respect of allotted sites for scrutiny at the K.R. Ashraya Office located on Uttaradi Mutt road near Gun House, before 15 days.

Now, barring the site allottees who submitted records within the deadline, the rest of the allottees (814 site owners of site Nos.1,256 to 2,070 in Gorur 8th Block) who missed submission of documents, are given a second chance.

Accordingly, the defaulters are asked to submit all their original records for verification and scrutiny within 15 days.

The allottees, who fail to do so, will be dropped from the list of beneficiaries, according to a press release from the MCC Commissioner.

Cyclone JAWAD: Trains cancelled

Mysuru, Dec. 3 - In view of Cyclone 'JAWAD,' the following trains services are cancelled:

1. Train No. 22884 Yesvantpur - Puri Garibrath Express commencing journey from Yesvantpur on 4.12.2021 is cancelled.

2. Train No. 22818 Mysuru - Howrah Superfast Express commencing journey from Mysuru on 5.12.2021 is cancelled.

3. Train No. 12890 Yesvantpur - Tatanagar Superfast Express commencing journey from Yesvantpuron6.12.2021iscancelled.

4. Train No. 18638 Bengaluru Cantonment - Hatia Express commencing journey from Bengaluru Cantonment on 7.12.2021 is cancelled.

5. Train No. 22832 Sri Sathya Sai Prasanthi Nilayam - Howrah Superfast Express commencing journey from Sri Sathya Sai Prasanthi Nilayam on 3.12.2021 is cancelled.

6. Train No. 02983 Bengaluru Cantonment - Agartala Superfast Express Special commencing journey from Bengaluru Cantonment on 3.12.2021 is cancelled.

7. Slip coaches by Train No. 18048/17604 on 3.12.2021 is cancelled.

REGULATION OF TRAIN

Train No. 16526 KSR Bengaluru - Kanniyakumari Daily Express Commencing journey from KSR Bengaluru on 4.12.2021 and 8.12.2021 will be regulated for 60 minutes at enroute station due to line block and power block for TRT works on Tiruppattur - Jolarpettai (up line) in MGR Chennai - Gudur section in Chennai Egmore - Villupuram Section, according to a press release from Aneesh Hegde, Chief Public Relations Officer, South Western Railway, Hubballi.

CRICKET TALK

By V.N. Prasad

Bravo 'Black Caps' for pulling off a 'nail-biting' tame draw at Kanpur

Green Park' Kanpur wore a smoggy/foggy look — morning till evening on all the days. The Ball kept low and indifferent. Last day was a thriller. Proverbial 'heart in the mouth' situation prevailed as the 9th wicket of the Kiwis fell with 9 minimum overs to come; over the remaining time span of roughly 40 minutes.

Our bowlers had ploughed through the Kiwi top and middle order to smell victory. Ashwin flighted and spun the ball sharply. Axar and Jadeja pushed the ball through the air hoping that 'one' cheater would penetrate the defense of the last pair to register a victory.

But, the Karnataka-born lad Rachin Ravindra and Bombay-born lad Ajaz Patel stretched and bent over to smother the efforts of all our spinners till the minimum 90 overs. Umpires held out the light meter and gave it to the Kiwis and thus the 1st Test ended in a 'tame draw.' Full marks to the No. 10 and 11 of New Zealand side for the 'copy book' style of defending without any rush of blood.

It was in the year 1969, Gundappa Vishwanath, the 5 foot and quarter, scored a magnificent 137 on debut at this venue — Green Park — against the mighty OZs. Six footers Graham McKenzie and Alan Connolly showered bouncers with the new ball breezing past Vishy's shoulder, nose and head.

Standing strong and solid, Vishy belted 25 boundaries (100 runs) in the classic essay. 'Blue eyed' boy of skipper Pataudi, Vishy entertained the crowd with his classic cover drives, exquisite square cuts, flicks off the toes, slashes past backward gully and delicate leg glances as the mighty OZs stood in awe of the little master. The world acknowledged the fact that Vishy was a World Class Test Batsman. We were stuck to our transistors. Rest is history.

Fifty-one-years later, it was Shreyas Iyer to register his century on debut against the Kiwis. We have known Shreyas as an impulsive T20 batter more than a red ball exponent. Amidst the rush of blood here and there, he scored a good looking 105 in the 1st innings and followed it up with a well-crafted 65 in the 2nd.

We must admit with honesty that his knocks in both the innings were the saving grace for us in the Test. We wish him all the best going forward and hope that he will prune and polish his craftsmanship to exhibit endurance and cement his place through consistency.

The Green Park also saw the 'Spin Wizard' Ashwin becoming the 3rd highest Indian wicket taker in Test Cricket; behind Anil Kumble (619 wickets) and Kapil Dev (434 wickets) when he bagged the crucial wicket of Tom Latham. Ash surpassed Bhajji in the endeavour. Bhajji in his glorious career of 103 Tests bagged 417 wickets. Ash has 418 wickets in 81 Tests. Our hearty congratulations to the 35-year-old young wizard on his grand achievement and hope that he will go past Kapil if not Kumble.

In the Test, Tom Latham and Will Young showed excellent calibre and temperament as openers; though Young was unlucky in the 2nd innings in his dismissal. Somehow skipper Kane Williams and Ross Taylor could not get their eyes and feet in. Middle order and lower down looked vulnerable.

Sorry. Our batting line up never looked impressive either on paper or on ground. Mayank Agarwal, Shubhman Gill, Chatteshwar Pujara, Skipper Rahane were all at sea — never in the class of Test calibre. It was painful to see Jadeja, Ashwin and Saha partnering Shreyas to pull us out of woods in the Test. We hope better sense will prevail upon the selection committee to cut off the dead wood and bring in a few youngsters who are warming the benches, to broaden batting dimensions.

Lastly, we appreciate the grand gesture of Coach Rahul Dravid who presented a purse of Rs. 35,000 to the grounds men of Green Park for having prepared a true wicket.

Best to both the teams as they play the 2nd and final test at Mumbai.

Music will bring peace to mind: UoM VC Prof. Hemantha Kumar

Five-day JSS Sangeetha Sabha's 'Sangeethothsava-2021' begins

University of Mysore (UoM) Vice-Chancellor Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar and Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji lighting the lamp to inaugurate the five-day 'Sangeethothsava-2021' in city yesterday. JSS Sangeetha Sabha Trust Secretary Mysuru Manjunath, Veteran Music Scholar Dr. R.K. Padmanabha and JSS Sangeetha Sabha Trust Vice-President Mysuru M. Nagaraj look on. Picture right shows Dr. R.K. Padmanabha and his team performing.

Mysuru, Dec.3 (MK&DM)- Observing that music is a form of art, University of Mysore (UoM) Vice-Chancellor Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar said music bears a differential influence on the lives of everyone, besides keeping our heart healthy.

He was speaking after inaugurating the five-day 'Sangeethothsava-2021' (Music Festival) organised by JSS Sangeetha Sabha Trust at Navajyothi auditorium of JSS College for Women in Saraswathipuram here yesterday.

Pointing out that music, apart from reducing the stress and strains of our daily life, will also help in keeping the heart healthy, Prof. Hemantha Kumar said that the importance of music in keeping our health is underlined by the fact that music therapy is being recommended for several mental disorders.

Noting that there were no music programmes for over 18 months due to COVID pandemic, he said that now that the situation has eased, music has returned much to the delight of enthusiasts.

Maintaining that our country is home to many great musicians, Prof. Hemantha Kumar said Saint Purandaradasa is often referred to as the pioneer of Karnatak Music. Purandaradasa and Kanakadasa came up with many Raagas and Musicians such as Sripadaraya, Jagannathadasa and Vijayadasa carried forward the legacy of Bhakti movement through music, he added.

Veteran Music Scholar Dr. R.K. Padmanabha in his address, said that people will be well and safe wherever there is music. Stressing on the need for popularising Classical Music, he regretted that music has taken the backseat, with scams, politics and such others coming to the fore.

Contending that Classical Music can never be erased, he observed that Classical Music will stay as long as Vedas continues to exist on earth. Lauding the role of Suttur Mutt in promoting music and maintaining social harmony, he said that Classical Music has continued to remain in its original form.

Sangeetha Vidyanidhi Dr. R.K. Padmanabha and team presented a Karnatak Classical music concert on the first day of the five-day event, which mesmerised the audience. He was accompanied by Vid. J.K. Sridhar on violin, Vid. Cheluvaraju on mridanga and Vid. V.S. Ramesh on morching. Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji graced the occasion. JSS Sangeetha Sabha Trust Vice-President Mysuru M. Nagaraj, Secretary Mysuru Manjunath and others were present.

Veena Concert at Mysore Vasudevacharya's House

Mysuru, Dec. 3- Renowned artiste Vidu. Nirmala Rajashekar will be presenting a veena concert at the heritage house of Mysore Vasudevacharya in city on Sunday (Dec. 5) between 10.30 am and 12.30 pm. She will be accompanied by famed mridanga player Vidwan Thanjavur S. Murugaboopathi. The concert at the Acharya's house, situated on New Sayyaji Rao road, near Basaveshvara Circle, is open to all music enthusiasts.

Vidu. Nirmala Rajashekar

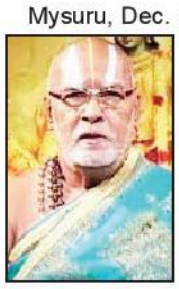
Vid. Murugaboopathi

Vidushi Nirmala Rajashekar, one among the most known contemporary Karnatak musicians, is a disciple of veteran veena and vocal Gurus Prof. Kalpakam Swaminathan, Prof. T.R. Subramanyam and B. Sitarama Sarma.

A dynamic Saraswati Veena player, vocalist, composer and educator, Nirmala has appeared in venues such as Carnegie Hall, the United Nations, and Symphony Space in the USA and several famed venues around the world. Vidwan Thanjavur S. Murugaboopathi, a leading mridanga player, has been a disciple of Vidwan T.R. Srinivasan and mridanga maestro Tanjore Upendran. His technique and creativity have earned him critical acclaim around the globe. For details contact Mob: 9880255920.

Nudi Namana this evening

Mysuru, Dec. 3- The city's Sri Ramanuja Prathistana will be holding a *Nudi Namana* programme in memory of Vedic scholar Dr. K.S. Narayanacharya (KSN), who passed away recently, at the Office of Sri Ramanuja Abhyudaya Co-operative Society located next to Saraswathi theatre in Saraswathipuram at 5.30 pm today (Dec.3).



Dr. KSN

MLAs L. Nagendra and S.A. Ramdas, MUDA Chairman H.V. Rajeev, City BJP President T.S. Srivatsa, City and District Brahmins Association President D.T. Prakash, Co-operative Society President H.V.L.M. Acharya and others will be present.

For more details, call Mob: 98800-01069, according to a press release.

Dr. P.B. Srinivas Musical nite tomorrow

Mysuru, Dec. 3 (MTY&DM)- In memory of renowned playback singer of yesteryears Dr. P.B. Srinivas (PBS), Gaana Chandana Kala Balaga, Sharadadevinagar in the city, has organised Dr. P.B. Srinivas musical nite at Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha on JLB road at 5 pm tomorrow (Dec. 4).

Dr. PBS

Announcing this at a press meet here yesterday, the Balaga's Sudheendra said about 60 to 70 Kannada hit songs of Dr. P.B. Srinivas from films of Dr. Rajkumar, Gangadhar, Kalyankumar, Udayakumar, Ashwath, Sudarshan, Vishnuvardhan etc., will be rendered during the musical nite.

Singers H.S. Gopalakrishna, Vishwanath Shastri, Ramesh Kumar, Ashwini Prashanth, Shashikala and others will perform, he said.

Balaga members Rajendra, Geetha, Nataraj and others were present at the press meet.

WORD OF THE DAY

Commensurate

Pronunciation: kuh-MEN-suh-rut.
Meaning: Commensurate means "proportionate" or "equal in size, amount, or degree."
Origin: Commensurate comes from the Latin word for the act of measuring, mensūra. That noun is based on mensus, the past participle of the verb mētīrī," meaning "to determine the extent of."
Example: "Nationwide was originally founded in the 1920s as Farm Bureau Mutual Automobile Insurance Company with the idea of offering farmers automobile insurance that was more commensurate with their driving habits at a time when many were being charged similar rates to their counterparts in densely-populated urban areas." — Jason Bisnoff

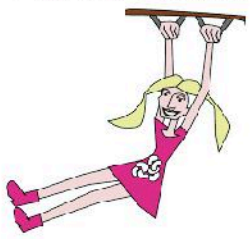
THE ODD WORD

Caconymy

Wrongly derived name.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Full of beans



Meaning: The phrase 'full of beans' is used to say when someone is always full of vigour or merriness.
Origin: This phrase started out in the 14th century as "Full as Prunes" but then was changed to beans.
Example: "When he heard the news on the radio, Phillip was absolutely full of beans."

QUOTE BOX

A bank is a place where they lend you an umbrella in fair weather and ask for it back when it begins to rain. **—Robert Frost**

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

NIbumpGHT

Answer: Bump in the night.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Black & yellow stinging insect
5 Unruly crowd
8 Tell a yarn
12 Double reed
13 Boring tool
14 Serving plate
15 An uncharged sub-atomic particle having zero rest mass
17 Where all roads lead?
18 Radiation unit
19 Neck-cloth
21 Stationed
24 Giraffe's kin
25 Ancient Greek coin
26 Mine entrance
27 Ukraine letters, once
30 ___ Sarovar : bird sanctuary in Gujarat ?
31 Forebodings or portents
32 Dalal St. deal
33 Airspeed Indicator
34 Drink of spirit, especially rum, and water
35 Billy or Nanny
36 Italian city
38 Fraction in tithe
39 Heavenly body
41 Brownish gray
42 Keen
43 Arctic animal
48 King or father, archaically speaking?
49 Get rid of
50 Heroic tale
51 Horizontal layer
52 Tiny amount
53 Reduced Instruction Set Comp.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

D	U	B		R	S	M				S	T	C
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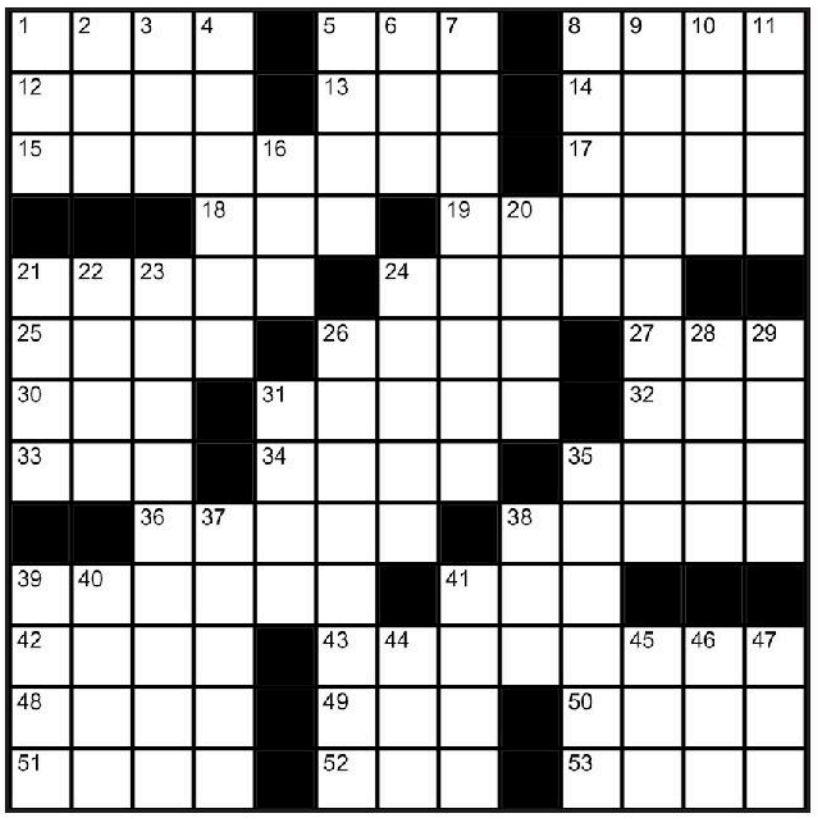
DOWN

1 Triumphed, was victorious
2 ___ Lincoln : US President famous for his anti-salvery actions?
3 Former France coin
4 Sea-bird
5 Wound and cripple
6 Have or possess
7 Stopping ball with bat?
8 Binding
9 Supply; stipulation
10 P. Simon's '_ ___ _ Rock' (1,2,1)
11 Russian no
16 ___ light : signal to stop?
20 The Pied Piper got rid of them
21 ___ fide : real and genuine ?
22 Sleeveless garments worn by Arabs
23 Card game for one
24 Concert hall
26 Ex-Indian tennis pro Vijay ___
28 Petty quarrel
29 "Zuckerman Unbound" author
31 Mythical monster
35 Male or female
37 Below or beneath
38 Large cask
39 Gone by
40 Roman 57
41 Food plan
44 Outer as a prefix ?
45 Center starter
46 Electronic Instrument Sys.
47 Reinforced cement concrete, in short



SUDOKU

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		2	4				7	3

Answer to previous puzzle

1	7	9	8	5	4	2	6	3
4	2	3	1	6	9	7	8	5
6	5	8	3	7	2	4	9	1
7	9	1	4	8	6	3	5	2
8	4	6	2	3	5	9	1	7
5	3	2	9	1	7	8	4	6
9	8	5	7	2	1	6	3	4
3	1	7	6	4	8	5	2	9
2	6	4	5	9	3	1	7	8

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

VSGYD CIGW JTE YAG YWMAJ--YWQ JTE CKRR NYDG

FIG UGVF VSGGZI JTE'RR GHGA AGMAGF.

TODAY'S CLUE: J EQUALS Y

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: The Bible tells us to love our neighbors, and also to love our enemies; probably because they are generally the same people.

NOW SHOWING - MOVIES

Gayathri Theatre Ph: 2443568
Sakath (K) - 4 Shows

Mahadeshwara Theatre Mob: 9900820093
Madhagaja (K)- 4 Shows

Padma Theatre Ph: 2521923
Madhagaja (K)- 4 Shows

Thibbadevi Theatre Ph: 2452958
Madhagaja (K)- 4 Shows

Sangam Theatre Ph: 2520494
Mugil Pete (K) - 2 Shows; *Tadap (H)* - 2 Shows

Lido Theatre Ph: 2420885
Marakkar (K)- 4 Shows

Woodlands Theatre Ph: 2422871
Bhajarangi 2 (K) - 4 Shows

Uma Theatre Ph: 2520009
Ellinda Aarambavo (K) 1 Show; *Mallige (K)* - 3 Shows

Sterling Theatre Ph: 2481170
Antim (H) - 4 Shows

Rajkamal Theatre Ph: 2423554
Antim (H) - 4 Shows

Balaji Theatre Ph: 2497199
Antim (H) - 4 Shows

DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

Resident Evil: Welcome To Raccoon City (E)	(S-1)	10.20 am, 3.50 pm, 9.55 pm
Madhagaja (K)	(S-1)	1.05 pm
	(S-3)	10.05 am, 7.15 pm
Marakkar - Arabikkadalinte Simham (Ma)	(S-1)	6.30 pm; (S-4) 9.30 am
Sakkath (K)	(S-2)	10.05 am
	(S-4)	3.50 pm, 6.40 pm, 9.35 pm
Bachelor (Ta)	(S-2)	1.00 pm; (S-3) 4.00 pm
Tadap (H)	(S-2)	4.30 pm, 7.10 pm
	(S-3)	9.50 pm
Akhanda (Te)	(S-2)	9.45 pm
Maanaadu (Ta)	(S-3)	1.00 pm
Garuda Gamana Vrishabha Vahana (K)	(S-4)	12.55 pm

PVR CINEMAS

Forum Centre City Mall, 2nd Floor. Mob: 8951357139

Madhagaja (K)	10.15 am, 1.10 pm, 6.55 pm, 9.50 pm
Sakkath (K)	12.30 pm, 6.45 pm
Garuda Gamana Vrishabha Vahana (K)	12.40 pm, 2.45 pm, 9.50 pm
Tadap (H)	9.25 am, 12.15 pm, 4.05, 6.40 pm, 9.30 pm
Clifford: The Big Red (E)	3.05 pm, 9.25 pm
Resident Evil: Welcome To Raccoon City (E)	10.00 am, 12.25 pm, 7.10 pm
Marakkar - Arabikkadalinte Simham (Ma)	5.55 pm
Antim: The Final (H)	2.55 pm, 9.50 pm
Bachelor (Ta)	3.05 pm
Maanaadu (Ta)	3.35 pm
Akhanda (Te)	11.15 am, 6.10 pm
Skylab (Te)	9.40 pm

1st Floor, Garuda Mall. Mob: 9901373210

Madhagaja (K)	9.30 am, 3.20 pm, 6.50 pm, 9.40 pm
Garuda Gamana Vrishabha Vahana (K)	9.50 am, 6.15 pm,
Resident Evil: Welcome To Raccoon City (E)	10.45 am, 4.20 pm
Bachelor (Ta)	11.25 am
100 (K)	12.25 pm
Sakath (K)	1.15 pm, 4.05 pm, 9.45 pm
Tadap (H)	1.15 pm, 7.10 pm
Akhanda (Te)	3.00 pm, 9.40 pm
Maanaadu (Ta)	6.30 pm
Marakkar: Arabian Samudradha Simha (K)	10.00 pm

INOX LIVE THE MOVIE — Ph: 2533444 / 2533456

Madhagaja (K)	(S-2)	9.55 am, 3.55 pm, 9.45 pm
	(S-3)	12.50 pm, 6.40 pm
Sakkath (K)	(S-1)	6.15 pm; (S-2) 12.45 pm
Tadap (H)	(S-4)	10.15 am, 4.25 pm, 9.55 pm
Resident Evil: Welcome To Raccoon City (E)	(S-3)	10.20 am; (S-4) 7.20 pm
Bachelor (Ta)	(S-1)	10.55 am, 2.35 pm
Garuda Gamana Vrishabha Vahana (K)	(S-4)	1.10 pm
Nanna Hesaru Kishore Yelu Pass Yentu (K)	(S-2)	6.50 pm
Akshi (K)	(S-3)	3.45 pm
Marakkar - Arabikkadalinte Simham (Ma)	(S-1)	9.25 pm
Akhanda (Te)	(S-3)	9.35 pm

MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

Sakkath (K)	(S-1)	10.15 am, 1 pm; (S-4) 6.40 pm
Garuda Gamana Vrishabha Vahana (K)	(S-1)	3.45 pm
Akhanda (Te)	(S-1)	6.35 pm; (S-3) 10.30 am
Tadap (H)	(S-1)	9.40 pm
	(S-4)	10.30 am, 1.00 pm
Madhagaja (K)	(S-2)	8.30 am, 11.10 am, 1.45 pm, 4.20 pm, 6.55 pm, 9.30 pm
Resident Evil: Welcome To Raccoon City (E)	(S-3)	1.35 pm, 3.50 pm
Marakkar - Arabikkadalinte Simham (Ma)	(S-3)	6.05 pm, 9.30 pm
Bachelor (Ta)	(S-4)	3.25 pm
Maanaadu (Ta)	(S-4)	9.30 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

Nruthya Sangama held at Kalemane

Mysuru, Dec. 3- Nruthya Sangama-2021, a Bharatanatyam programme was organised by Kumar Performing Arts Centre (KPAC) at Kalemane Sabhaangana in Hebbal on Nov. 27.

The event was inaugurated by Guru Suma Nagesh, Guru Seetha Guruprasad, Guru Samyudhyatha, Dr. Chethana Radhakrishna, Dr. Kripa Padeke, Vidu. Sreelakshmi, Vid. Badari Divya Bhushan, Director Dr. K. Kumar and President Dr. G. Malathy of KPAC.

Lecture-cum-Demonstration of 'Marga Karnas of Natyashastra' by Vidu. P.K. Nagalakshmi was followed by solo performance by Vidu. Soumya Rupangudi, disciple of Guru Suma Nagesh, duet performance by Vidu. G.N. Tejaswini and Vidu. G.N. Yashaswini, disciples of Guru Seetha Guruprasad and group performance by Vidu. Bhavya, Vidu. Sowrabha, Vidu. Bhavani, Vidu. Meenakshi and Vidu. Dia, disciples of Guru Samudhyatha.

Carol singing contest on Dec. 5

Mysuru, Dec.3- The Catholic Association of Mysore will conduct the 17th Diocesan Carol Singing Competition on Dec. 5 at St. Philomena's High School Auditorium, F.T.S. Circle, B.N. Road, Mysuru from 8.30 am under the Presidentship of Most Rev. Dr. K. A. William, Bishop of Mysore and Patron of the Association.

Former Mayor Tasneem will be the chief guest. Rev. Fr. Staney D'Almeda, Parish Priest of St. Joseph's Cathedral and the Spiritual Director of the Association and Suresh Kumar, Inspector, Lashkar Police Station, will be the guests of honour.

The competition will be held for High Schools, Colleges, Religious Institutions, Parishes and Professional categories in Kannada, English and other Regional Languages.

The valedictory function will be held the same evening at 6.30 pm under the Presidentship of Rev. Fr. Bernard Prakash Barnis, Rector & Manager of St. Philomena's College.

Mayor Sunanda Palanetra will be the chief guest. Rev. Fr. Dominic Vas, CR1 President, Rev. Fr. M. Vincent, Parish Priest, Perpetual Succour Church, Srirampura, Rev. Fr. Vijay Kumar, Secretary, Mysore Diocesan Educational Society, Ashif Basheer, District Officer, Minority Welfare Department, Anil Christy, Stastistical Officer, Mysuru City Corporation, Shanthu Nesan, ex-Corporator and Johny G. Kunnel, Proprietor, J.J. Construction, Mysuru, will be the guests of honour.

EVENTS TODAY (DEC. 3)

- **Indian Art and Craft Shopping Festival-2021:** Christmas Carnival, expo-cum-sale of over 10,000 varieties of handlooms and handicrafts for all over India, Open Grounds, opposite Aishwarya Petrol Bunk, Hunsur Road, Vijayanagar I Stage, **upto 9.30 pm.**
- **Karnataka Exhibition Authority (KEA) and Tourism Department:** Exhibition-2021, Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **3.30 pm to 9 pm.**
- **JSS Sangeetha Sabha:** Annual Music Festival in memory of Dr. Sri Shivarathri Rajendra Mahaswamiji, violin duet by Vidu. Divyashri and Ratna Teja, Vid. Yashwant Hampiholi (mridanga), Vid. S. Manjunath (ghata), **6 pm;** vocal concert by Vid. Rudrapatnam S. Ramakanth, Vidu. Charulatha Ramanujam (violin), Vid. Arjun Kumar (mridanga), Vid. C.P. Vyasa Vittala (kanjira), Navajyoti auditorium, JSS Women's College, Saraswathipuram, **7 pm.**
- **Kalasuruchi:** Hindustani sitar recital by Ustad Rais Bale Khan, Pt. Vighnesh Bhagavat (harmonium), Pt. Bheemashankar Bidanur (tabla), Suruchi Rangamane, Kuvempunagar, **7 pm.**

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- **Karnataka Exhibition Authority (KEA) and Tourism Department:** Exhibition-2021, Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **3.30 pm to 9 pm.**
- **Department of Kannada and Culture:** As part of *Karthika Masa*, 'Tala-Vadya' programme by Mridanga-Tabla Vidwan M.R. Srikanta and troupe, Sri Prasanna Venkateshwaraswamy Temple, Krishna Vilas Road, Devaraja Mohalla, **6 pm.**
- **Sridevi Mahila Sangha, Mysuru:** Anniversary celebrations, 'Srijaanapada Paaka-2021,' a cooking and folk songs contest for women, Siddivinayaka Temple, 6th B Main Road, Ramakrishnanagar 'K' Block, **from 10 am onwards.** [Mob: 96065-63337, 99647-90442]
- **Kalasuruchi:** *Kathe Kelona Banni* — story-telling for kids by H.P. Geetha, Assistant Professor in Kannada, Suruchi Rangamane, Chitrabhanu Road, Kuvempunagar, **from 4.30 pm to 5.30 pm.** [Mob: 92435-81097 or 99459-43115]
- **Natana Rangashale:** Inauguration of three-day 'Natana Rangotsava' by Veteran Theatre artiste Rameshwari Varma, Kannada and Culture Department Joint Director V.N. Mallikarjunswamy and Assistant Director H. Channappa, chief guests, Natana Rangashale President K.S. Anand Kumar presides, **6 pm;** Staging of the play 'Bhoomi' by Adhishakthi troupe of Tamil Nadu, directed by Vinay Kumar, Natana Rangashale (Natana School of Theatre Arts), Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.** [Mob: 72595-37777 or 94804-68327]
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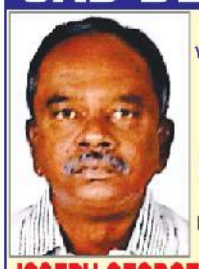

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Died: 03.12.2021

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My Client M/s. BLANCO STEEL DETAILING SERVICES PVT. LTD., Mysore has negotiated and agreed to purchase all that Site property more fully described in the Schedule below from its owner. **Mr. VIKAS. B.V S/o Late Venkatesh. B.V** residing at No. 1192/A, Balakrishna Rao Road., Chamarajapuram, Mysore.

Any person/s having any claim with regard to the Schedule property or any portion thereof and in any manner should may write to the undersigned with documentary proof in support of their claim within **FIFTEEN DAYS (15)** of the issuance of this notice, failing which my clients will proceed on the basis that there are no claims over the said property

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Schedule A

All that piece and parcel of bearing Site No. 2542, Situated at Dattagalli 3rd Stage, Chamaraja Mohalla, Mysore and bounded by :

East by : Property bearing No.2541
West by : Property bearing No.2543
North by : Property bearing No. 2539
South by : Road

Measuring East to West 15.00 Meters and North to South 24.00 Meters

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Hootagalli, Mysore- 570 018

NOTICE

Society's Annual General Body Meeting will be held on **05.12.2021, Sunday, at 10.00 A.M. at the premises of Automotive Axles Limited, Hootagalli Industrial Area, Mysore 570 018.** The Board of Directors invite all the members to present in the meeting. In case who have not able to attend meeting personally, they can attend through virtual/zoom meeting. The link is being sent individually.

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